

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

(Caption of Case)

**Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC - Annual Review of
Base Rates for Fuel Costs****BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF SOUTH CAROLINA****COVER SHEET****DOCKET****NUMBER: 2009 - 3 - E**

(Please type or print)

Submitted by: Catherine E. Heigel**SC Bar Number: 9268****Address: Duke Energy Corporation****Telephone: 704.382.8123****P O Box 1006 / EC03T****Fax: 704.382.4494****Charlotte, NC 28201-1006****Other:****Email: catherine.heigel@duke-energy.com**

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- ☐ Emergency Relief demanded in petition ☐ Request for item to be placed on Commission's Agenda expeditiously
- ☒ Other: Affidavits of Publication

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PAM ALLEN
DUKE ENERGY
MAIL CODE ECO3T
PO BOX 1006
CHARLOTTE NC 28201

REFERENCE: 30056071
6342715 docket no 2009-3-e

Before the undersigned, a Notary Public of said County and State, duly authorized to administer oaths affirmations, etc., personally appeared, being duly sworn or affirmed according to law, doth depose and say that he/she is a representative of The Charlotte Observer Publishing Company, a corporation organized and doing business under the laws of the State of Delaware, and publishing a newspaper known as The Charlotte Observer in the city of Charlotte, County of Mecklenburg, and State of North Carolina and that as such he/she is familiar with the books, records, files, and business of said Corporation and by reference to the files of said publication, the attached advertisement was inserted. The following is correctly copied from the books and files of the aforesaid Corporation and Publication.

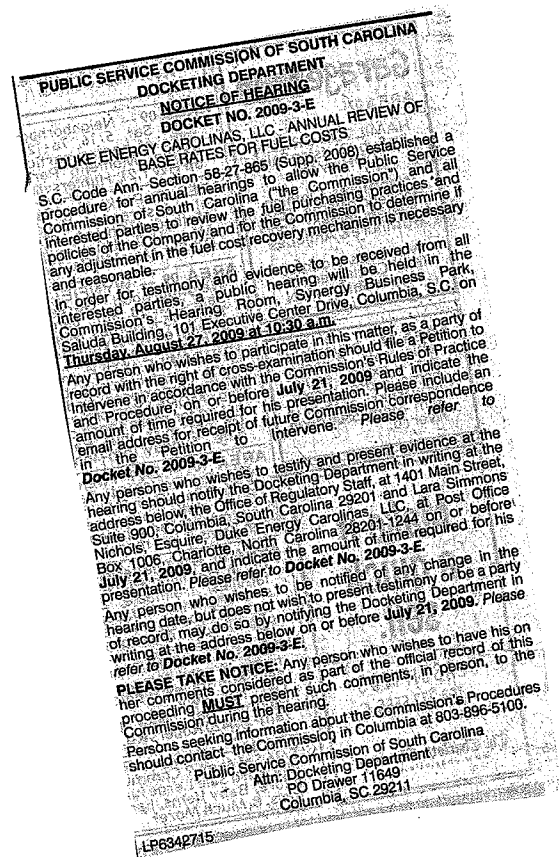
PUBLISHED ON: 05/15

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FILED ON: 05/22/09

NAME: Shadrach Sackorh TITLE: Act Clerk
DATE: MAY 15 2009

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, the day and year aforesaid.

Notary: Judith M. Sears My Commission Expires May 17, 2011
My Commission Expires: / /



State of South Carolina
County of Anderson

{Affidavit

Personally appeared before me, Karen Rommelmeyer, who being duly sworn, says that she is the Retail Sales Manager of the *Independent-Mail* daily newspaper, published at Anderson, South Carolina and that a legal advertisement for a Notice of Hearing, Docket No. 2009-3-E appeared in the above newspaper in the issue of May 15, 2009.

Copy of said advertisement is attached hereto.

Signed: _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me

this 19th day of

May, 2009.

Seal

Patricia A. Yearys
Notary Public for South Carolina

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES FEB. 10, 2014

My Commission Expires

PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING
DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF HEARING

DOCKET NO. 2009-3-E

DUKE ENERGY
CAROLINAS, LLC -
ANNUAL REVIEW OF BASE
RATES FOR FUEL COSTS

S.C. Code Ann. Section
58-27-865 (Supp. 2008)
established a procedure
for annual hearings to al-
low the Public Service
Commission of South
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parties to review the fuel
purchasing practices
and policies of the Com-
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any adjustment in the
fuel cost recovery
mechanism is necessary

and reasonable.

In order for testimony
and evidence to be re-
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hearing will be held in
the Commission's Hear-
ing Room, Synergy Busi-
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ing, 101 Executive Center
Drive, Columbia, S.C. on
**Thursday, August 27,
2009 at 10:30 a.m.**

Any person who wishes
to participate in this
matter, as a party of
record with the right of
cross-examination
28201-1244 on or before
July 21, 2009, and in-
dicate the amount of time
required for his presen-
tation. Please refer to
Docket No. 2009-3-E

Any person who wishes
to be notified of any
change in the hearing
date, but does not wish
to present testimony or
be a party of record, may
do so by notifying the
Docketing Department in
writing at the address
below on or before July
21, 2009. Please refer to
Docket No. 2009-3-E

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE:
Any person who wishes
to have his or her com-
ments considered as
part of the official record
of this proceeding **MUST**
present such comments,
in person, to the Com-
mission during the
hearing.

Persons seeking infor-
mation about the Com-
mission's Procedures
should contact the Com-
mission in Columbia at
803-896-5100.

Public Service Commis-
sion of South Carolina
Attn: Docketing
Department
PO Drawer 11649
Columbia, SC 29211

The Greenville News

greenvilleonline.com

Classified Advertising

Date: 5/15/2009

Name: / DUKE ENERGY CORP
7800 ROCHESTER HWY SENECA SC 29672

Ad No: 4495874 Class: 0008 Legal Notices (News) Rate: Legal Rates

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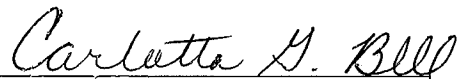
Sunday, May 17, 2009

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AFFIDAVIT

I, Susan F. Mullinax, being the Legal Advertising Agent for *The Greenville News*, do hereby testify that the attached legal ad was published on 168 lines as set forth above, in The Greenville News beginning on 5/17/2009 and ending on 5/17/2009


Susan F. Mullinax
Legal Advertising Agent


Carlotta G. Bell
Notary Public for the State of South Carolina
My Commission Expires August 16, 2010

Post Office Box 1688 * Greenville, SC 29602
Phone: 864.298.4100



305 South Main Street * Greenville, SC 29601
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REVIEW<qj>OF BASE RATES FOR<qj>FUEL

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<qj>Street, Suite 900, Co-<qj>lumbia,<hp><ql>

<qj>South Carolina 29201<qj>and Lara Simmons<qj>Nichols,

Esquire, Duke<qj>Energy Carolinas, LLC,<qj>at Post Office Box

1006,<qj>Charlotte, North Caroli-<qj>na 28201-1244 on or

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 <qj>Drawer 11649<hp><ql> Columbia,<hp><ql>
 <qj>South Carolina 29211 <ql>

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ADVERTISEMENT!

If I can be of further assistance, please call : Susan
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SPARTANBURG
Herald-Journal
P.O. BOX 1657, Spartanburg, S.C. 29304
(864) 582-4511

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF SPARTANBURG

Personally appeared before me, a notary public in and for the State and County
aforesaid, Kristen Mooneyham, who having been duly sworn according to law, dep
and says that she is a Representative of the Spartanburg Herald-Journal, a newspaper
published in Spartanburg, South Carolina, and that the attached legal ad
published for 1 time(s) in the following issues:

5/15/09

Kristen Mooneyham
Kristen Mooneyham

Sworn to and subscribed before me
This 15th day of May, 2009

Alice Annas
Alice Annas
Notary Public for South Carolina
My Commission Expires May 23, 2016

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time required for his presentation.
Please include an email address for
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spondence in the Petition to inter-
vene. *Please refer to Docket No.
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Any person who wishes to testify
and present evidence at the hearing
should notify the Docketing De-
partment in writing at the address
below, the Office of Regulatory
Staff, at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900,
Columbia, South Carolina 29201 and
Lara Simmons Nichols, Esquire,
Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, at
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